

## **Stiff Little Fingers "Hope Street"**

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So you're living on a false reputation  
You're a big man in this town  
And it seems by your own estimation  
That you're a character of renown

But it's all deceptive  
Your facade's defective  
Yet it's what's expected  
When you're really just the same as all of us

You're living on hope street  
(Living on hope street)  
You're living on hunger and desire  
You're living on hope street  
(Living on hope street)  
And I hope that you never lose the fire

Whole lives lived under the burden  
The strain of the buying age  
Believe me, I know it for certain  
That you can break from the cage

By holding your head high  
Get a little self pride  
Self respect on your side  
And you'll find that all the doors fly open wide

You're living on hope street  
(Living on hope street)  
You're living on hunger and desire  
You're living on hope street  
(Living on hope street)  
And I hope that you never lose the fire

And all the problems at your door  
Don't let them bother you no more  
Just take them all down one by one  
You'll find they fall apart  
If you face them with head and heart  
And what was hard doesn't seem so hard no more

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